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REPORT

TOPIC Parchim Airfield

614271

EVALUATION

PLACE OBTAINED

DATE OF CONTENT

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DATE PREPARED 3 March 1954

REFERENCES

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REMARKS

1. Parchim airfield has been occupied by swept-back jet aircraft since January 1954. The field, referred to as construction project No V 104, was improved by Bauunion Spree.

2. At the beginning of

1954, Soviet swept-back jet fighters arrived at the field and remained there. work by the Bauunion Spree at Parchim airfield had been completed by late January 1954. the following constructions, for which a sum of 1,350,000 Eastmarks had allegedly been allotted, were scheduled to be done by the Bauunion Schwerin at the field up to mid-October 1954: a new boiler house, two large officers houses; enlargement of all buildings at the airfield by the construction of lodgings on top floors.

Comment. The report confirms that Parchim airfield was reoccupied by jet aircraft in January 1954. The information on construction work on the buildings at the field is believed to be correct as work was not yet completed. The lodgings on the top floors are possibly for officers dependents.

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